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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International
Application No. PCT/FR00/00271 of:

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For: DETERGENT COSMETIC
COMPOSITIONS AND USE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-23 and add the following new claims 24-76:

--24. A detergent and conditioning cosmetic composition comprising (A) a
cosmetically acceptable aqueous medium, (B) a washing base comprising at least
one anionic surfactant and at least one amphoteric surfactant, (C) at least one
water-insoluble carboxylic acid ester chosen from

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